

Department of Veterans' Affairs
JOB OPPORTUNITY
Principal Physician
May be under filled at the Staff Physician Level

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Open To: The Public

Location: Rocky Hill Veterans Healthcare Facility, 287 West St., Rocky Hill, CT 06067

Hours per week: 40

Schedule: First shift, Monday through Friday

Salary: Principal Physician RZ 14 (\$179,078 - \$220,402) Staff Physician RZ 13 (\$158,414 - \$185,964)

Closing Date: December 8, 2016

Description of Duties: Duties are consistent with the Principal Physician job specification. This position is responsible for completing comprehensive examinations, diagnosing and medically treating veterans. The physician develops and monitors integrated treatment plans and attends treatment team meetings. The physician supervises and collaborates with the nurse practitioners and provides oversight to the care they provide for the veterans throughout the Healthcare and Residential facilities. He/she reviews the resident's total program of care at each required visit.

The physician conducts grand rounds, serves on multiple quality care and compliance committees, Executive Medical Committee, and may serve as co-director of the medical staff. This position is responsible for the care and progress of veterans, prescribing appropriate medications, completing all required documentation, admissions and discharges of patients, ordering appropriate medical, diagnostic and laboratory tests, providing medical expertise to treatment teams, participating in staff conferences, provides input into program planning; maintains accurate, up-to-date medical records and prepares required reports according to policy, State and Federal regulations and CMS standards. The physician evaluates and treats medically complex and chronic care patients; evaluates the functional level of the patients and implements and refers patients for specific modalities within other departments; provides education and training to staff.

The physician is required to help each veteran attain or maintain the highest practicable physical, mental and psychosocial well-being in collaboration with the nurse practitioners. Provides care, treatment and referral to therapies to maintain and improve health to the extent possible

General Experience: Incumbents in this class must possess and retain certification in the specialty field of internal medicine or family medicine from an appropriate medical specialty board. (Applicants at the Staff Physician level must possess and retain a license to practice medicine in Connecticut and be Board eligible.)

State employees currently holding the above title or those who have previously attained permanent status may apply for lateral transfer.

Note: The filling of this position will be in accordance with reemployment, SEBAC, transfer, promotion and merit employment rules.

Application Instructions: Interested and qualified candidates who meet the above requirements should submit a cover letter and a completed state application for employment CT-HR-12. Resumes and Curriculum Vitae may be provided as supplemental information.

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